

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) A mobile terminal, comprising:
  - a main body housing a circuit substrate inside and having an operational button on the front surface;
  - a folder rotatively connected to the main body and having a liquid screen;
  - a hinge connecting unit for rotatively connecting the main body and the folder;
  - and
  - ~~a buffer means for absorbing a shock of a contact between the main body and the folder member installed to a certain portion of contact between the main body and the folder for absorbing a shock when the folder is unfolded.~~
  
2. (Currently Amended) The mobile terminal according to claim 1, wherein the ~~buffer means is a buffer member~~ is installed to a certain upper central portion of the main body so as to contact to a ~~certain lower central~~ portion of the folder ~~contacted to the main body~~ when the folder is unfolded.

3. (Currently Amended) The mobile terminal according to claim 2, wherein the buffer member ~~is constructed with~~ includes a first buffer member installed to the upper central portion of the main body so as to contact to the lower central portion of the folder when the folder is unfolded and a second buffer member respectively installed to the both sides of the upper end of the main body so as to contact to the both sides of the lower end of the folder.

4. (Currently Amended) The mobile terminal according to claim 3, ~~wherein~~ further comprising:

a first installation groove ~~is formed at the~~ an upper internal corner of the main body in order to insert the first buffer member into, and a second installation groove is formed at the upper both side portions projected from the main body in order to insert the second buffer member into.

5. (Currently Amended) The mobile terminal according to claim 4, wherein the first buffer member has ~~the a~~ a same shape as the first installation groove so as to be inserted into the first installation groove ~~formed at the main body~~, and a bridging hook is formed at the internal surface of the first buffer member so as to be inserted into a fixation hole

formed at the first installation groove ~~in order~~ to prevent the first buffer member from being detached from the first installation groove.

6. (Currently Amended) The mobile terminal according to claim 4, wherein the second buffer member has ~~the a~~ same shape as the second installation groove so as to be inserted into the second installation groove, and a bridging hook is formed at ~~the an~~ internal surface of the second buffer member so as to be inserted into a fixation hole formed at the second installation groove ~~in order~~ to prevent the second buffer member from being detached from the second installation groove.

7. (Original) The mobile terminal according to claim 4, wherein the first buffer member having a certain width is projected from the first installation groove, and the second buffer member having a certain width is projected from the second installation groove.

8. (Original) The mobile terminal according to claim 3, wherein the first buffer member and the second buffer member are made of rubber materials.

9. (Currently Amended) A mobile terminal, comprising:
- a main body housing a circuit substrate inside and having an operational button on a front surface thereof;
  - a folder rotatively connected to the main body and having a liquid screen;
  - a hinge connecting unit for rotatively connecting the main body and the folder;
- and
- a buffer ~~means~~member for absorbing a shock installed to a certain portion of a contact between the main body and the folder when the folder is folded.

10. (Currently Amended) The mobile terminal according to claim 9, wherein the buffer ~~means is a third~~ buffer member is installed to the ~~an~~ upper front surface of the folder in order to absorb a shock by contacting to a certain sideportion of the main body when the folder is folded.

11. (Currently Amended) The mobile terminal according to claim 9, wherein the buffer ~~means is a fourth~~ buffer member ~~formed at the~~ is installed to a lower front surface of the main body in order to absorb a shock by contacting to a certain sideportion of the folder when the folder is folded.

12. (Currently Amended) The mobile terminal according to claim 9, wherein the buffer ~~means is constructed with~~member includes a ~~third~~first buffer member installed to the folder and a ~~fourth~~second buffer member installed to the main body which are contacted each other in folding of the folder.

13. (Currently Amended) The mobile terminal according to claim 9, wherein the buffer ~~means~~member is made of rubber materials.

14. (Currently Amended) A mobile terminal, comprising:  
a main body housing a circuit substrate inside and having an operational button on a front surface thereof;  
a folder rotatively connected to the main body and having a liquid screen;  
a hinge connecting unit for rotatively connecting the main body and the folder;  
a first buffer ~~means for absorbing a shock of~~member installed to a certain portion of a contact between the main body and the folder for absorbing a shock when the folder is unfolded; and  
a second buffer ~~means for absorbing a shock of a contact~~member installed to a certain portion of a contact between the main body and the folder for absorbing a shock when the folder is folded.

15. (Currently Amended) In a mobile terminal including a main body housing a circuit substrate inside and having an operational button and a liquid screen on the front surface and a flip rotatively connected to the main body and covering the operational button of the main body, a the mobile terminal, comprising:

a buffer means installed to contact portions of the flip and the main body.

16. (Original) The mobile terminal according to claim 15, wherein the buffer means is a buffer member installed to the internal surface of the flip.

17. (Original) The mobile terminal according to claim 15, wherein the buffer means is a buffer member installed to the front surface of the main body.

18. (Original) The mobile terminal according to claim 15, wherein the buffer means is a buffer member respectively installed to the internal surface of the flip and the front surface of the main body.

19. (Original) The mobile terminal according to claim 15, wherein the buffer means is made of rubber materials.

20. (New) A mobile terminal, comprising:

- a main body;
- a folder;
- a hinge connecting unit configured to rotatively connect the main body and the folder and including a pair of hinge brackets respectively projected from both upper side portions of the main body;
- a first buffer member installed to an upper central portion of the main body so as to contact a lower central portion of the folder when the folder is unfolded; and
- a second buffer member respectively installed on both upper portions of the pair of hinge brackets so as to contact both sides of a lower end of the folder when the folder is unfolded.

21. (New) The mobile terminal according to claim 20, further comprising:

- a first installation groove formed at an upper internal corner of the main body to insert the first buffer member into, and a second installation groove formed at both of the upper portions of the pair of hinge brackets to insert the second buffer member into.

22. (New) The mobile terminal according to claim 21, wherein the first buffer member has a same shape as the first installation groove so as to be inserted into the first

installation groove, and a bridging hook is formed at an internal surface of the first buffer member so as to be inserted into a fixation hole formed at the first installation groove to prevent the first buffer member from being detached from the first installation groove.

23. (New) The mobile terminal according to claim 21, wherein the second buffer member has a same shape as the second installation groove so as to be inserted into the second installation groove, and a bridging hook is formed at an internal surface of the second buffer member so as to be inserted into a fixation hole formed at the second installation groove to prevent the second buffer member from being detached from the second installation groove.

24. (New) The mobile terminal according to claim 20, wherein the first buffer member and the second buffer member include rubber materials.

25. (New) A mobile terminal, comprising:  
a main body;  
a folder;  
a hinge connecting unit configured to rotatively connect the main body and the folder;



a first buffer member installed to the folder; and

a second buffer member installed to the main body at a position opposite to a position of the first buffer member such that the first and second buffer members contact each other in folding of the folder.

26. (New) The mobile terminal according to claim 25, wherein the first buffer member is installed to an upper front surface of the folder to absorb a shock by contacting to a certain side of the main body when the folder is folded.

27. (New) The mobile terminal according to claim 25, wherein the second buffer member is formed at a lower front surface of the main body to absorb a shock by contacting a certain side of the folder when the folder is folded.

28. (New) The mobile terminal according to claim 25, further comprising:

a third buffer member installed to the folder; and

a fourth buffer member installed to the main body such that the third and fourth buffer members contact each other in folding of the folder.

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29. (New) The mobile terminal according to claim 25, wherein the first and second buffer members include rubber materials.

30. (New) The mobile terminal according to claim 1, wherein the buffer member is installed to both sides of an upper end of the main body so as to contact both sides of a lower end of the folder when the folder is unfolded.